

- 1. An updated Bath Comprehensive Plan was approved and a new overlay zoning district is being discussed. What is your plan to balance change and development with maintaining the rural character of Bath?**

The updated Comprehensive Plan is the third update of the original plan and identifies five focus areas in Bath. This plan will be my guide when making future land-use decisions while focusing on Bath's rural character. The proposed zoning overlay district would not change the existing zoning map but provide an option. If implemented, the proposed overlay would reduce the amount of commercially zoned land while promoting single-family, detached housing.

- 2. What do you see as the biggest issue facing Bath in the next four years and how will you address it?**

As a current Trustee, I know a fiscally responsible budget and reliable funding sources ensure Bath continues to deliver excellent services to residents. Quality administration and exceptional staff provide our residents with the high level of service they expect and deserve. Basic services – police, fire, dispatch, roads, parks, zoning, and administration – are funded by property taxes. Currently, a proposed ballot issue would eliminate property taxes in Ohio without providing a funding alternative. If approved, this would be economically devastating for Bath and our residents.

- 3. How can the township foster a positive relationship with Summit County (i.e. engineer's office, public health, fiscal office)?**

Bath has always had a very good relationship with Summit County officials. If an issue arises, Trustees work together in concert with our staff to address and communicate with the appropriate county office. Bath also takes an active role in the Township Association of Summit County, which addresses issues affecting all nine county townships with a clear, concise, and collective voice.

- 4. The township continues its improvement projects at Bath Community Park and the North Fork Preserve. In what other areas do you believe the township should prioritize its funds?**

Bath's outstanding parks enhance our quality of life, and recent improvements are amenities that were sought by residents. Additionally, essential safety services – roads that require year-round attention, effective and state-of-the-art policing, and a decades-old fire station not up to current standards – require strategic planning and responsible budgeting for the future to provide Bath residents the quality of service they expect.